GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
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SHIP SERVICE IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received a proposal from Kerala Government to start a ship service by Kerala Shipping and Inland Navigation Corporation in the State; and

(b) if so, the facts and the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI DILIPKUMAR MANSUKHLAL GANDHI)

(a) & (b) No Sir. However, Kerala State Inland Navigation Corporation (KSINC) has submitted a proposal to Inland Waterways Authority of India (IWAI) for operating a fixed schedule cargo service on National Waterway No.3, subject to IWAI subsidising the operational loss.